



WORLD LANGUAGES AND CULTURES ADVISING NEWSLETTER

SPRING AND SUMMER 2018 REGISTRATION WINDOWS:

Tuesday, November 6 – Friday, November 16, 2018

It is strongly recommended that you meet with your advisor before course registration!

WHY LANGUAGES?

The study of languages, cultures, and literature gives us a better understanding of our modern, complex and multicultural world. Our faculty members represent over 10 countries and speak: Arabic, Chinese, Danish, Dutch, English, French, German, Italian, Hebrew, Japanese, Polish, Russian, Spanish and Yiddish. We sponsor numerous activities such as film festivals, trips, speakers, language clubs, and a wide variety of study abroad possibilities. The Department of World Languages and Cultures creates a dynamic environment that prepares students to become global citizens.



MISSION STATEMENT

The Department of World Languages and Cultures is a culturally and intellectually diverse and welcoming community of faculty, staff, students, and alumni who value knowledge, multicultural awareness and the free and responsible exchange of ideas. Through the exercise of analytical rigor in our different language and culture disciplines we and our students: critically interpret language and symbols; thoroughly examine cultural artifacts and discourses; and seek to understand global, cultural, political, and historical perspectives. Working with our faculty, our students learn how to read and think analytically in English and in the target languages, communicate effectively in speech and writing in both English and the target language, work with diverse partners, and participate fully in culturally diverse experiences. The mission of the Department of World Languages and Cultures is to help students acquire linguistic and cultural skills to communicate successfully in a language other than English, prepare students to appreciate linguistic and cultural diversity, and motivate them to continue, after graduation, for lifelong learning in the context of a global society in the 21st century. The Department of World Languages and Cultures recognizes and follows in all its courses the World-Readiness Standards for learning languages set forth by ACTFL.

CURRICULUM

All of our academic programs will teach students to read closely and think analytically, write clearly, speak articulately, and evaluate and present evidence wisely and accurately. We will prepare students to become informed global citizens by engaging with people and cultural artifacts from different languages and traditions, and by interacting with people and experiencing places different from their home communities.

*To have another language is to possess a
second soul — Charlemagne*



SPANISH MAJOR

Requirements for the Spanish Major

A total of 12 course units is the minimum requirement for the Spanish major.

- Spanish Major Course Requirements
- Fall 2015-SPANISH 4 year Sequence

The Spanish/Secondary Education track also requires a professional education sequence of courses in preparation for certification. Students are strongly encouraged to study abroad in a Spanish speaking country for at least one semester.

SPANISH/EDUCATION MAJORS

Requirements for Spanish teachers

In order to receive a teaching license in Spanish, the state of NJ requires:

- Spanish major (or at least 30 credits in Spanish with a variety of levels and topics.)
- Pass the Spanish Language Praxis II (#5195) with a minimum score of 168
- A state-approved course in second language acquisition for ANY CERTIFICATION to teach Spanish (Pre-K, Elementary, Middle or Secondary.) At TCNJ, that course is WLC 390 (taught each Spring, Weds 5:30pm.)
- A minimum an OPI rating of ACTFL Adv. Low

MINORS

The Department of World Languages and Cultures offers minors in Arabic, Chinese, French, German, Italian, Japanese, Spanish, Linguistics, and Russian Studies. The minor typically consists of 5 course units, although the requirements vary for the intensive language programs. A minimum grade of C is required in all courses taken to fulfill the minor requirements.

- *We encourage all our minors to study abroad. All courses taken abroad will count towards graduation. TWO of the courses will count towards the five courses required for a minor.*

Please check each specific language section to find out more about exact requirements:

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| • Arabic | • German | • Linguistics |
| • Chinese | • Italian | • Russian Studies |
| • French | • Japanese | • Spanish |

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TCNJ Spain Program at the Instituto Franklin/Universidad de Alcalá de Henares, Spain

TCNJ is proud to offer a study abroad program at the Universidad de Alcalá de Henares during the Spring semesters. Join us in the heart of Spain — the Autonomous Community of Madrid — at the Universidad de Alcalá de Henares (UAH). The program is hosted by the Instituto Franklin, an academic meeting place for Spaniards and Americans.

TCNJ Spain – Spring Semester Only

Required prerequisites:

- *Spanish majors and minors: SPA 203 or 210 and SPA 211*
- *Others: Minimum of SPA 103. With this course, students are able to take two Spanish courses while in Alcalá: SPA 203 and SPA 211.*

Courses in Spanish, Business, Humanities (including Art History), and Social Sciences

Program Dates:

Early January to late April, 2019

STUDY ABROAD

Globalization is here to stay, and students who want to work in our interconnected global world should study abroad (Goodman & Stacie Nevadomski Berdan, 2014)

Approximately 25-30% of each graduating class at TCNJ participates in an education abroad experience – study abroad, an international internship, Global Student Teaching, or some type of volunteering or service experience overseas.

STUDY ABROAD GUIDELINES

Study abroad students may take up to five courses abroad. Upon successful completion of the courses (C- or better), all credits will count towards graduation. Spanish majors may count up to **THREE** 300 level courses towards their Spanish major. Spanish minors may count up to **TWO** courses towards their minor.

Unless otherwise specified, overseas courses will be counted in the following ways:

- Students who take 200 level courses overseas may receive credit for SPA 219, or SPA 241 or SPA 270 as determined by the course content.
- Students who take 300 level courses overseas will receive credit for SPA 370 IF they have met the pre-requisites cited above for the course they have elected. In this case, they will receive credit for SPA 370 under the categories of literature or culture or linguistics as determined by the course content. Specifically, students who intend to receive credit for:
 - 370 Culture must have completed three, 200 level courses
 - 370 Literature must have completed SPA 241
 - 370 Linguistics must have completed SPA 215
- Students who enroll in 300 level course overseas without having completed the necessary pre-requisites at the time of registration will not receive 300-level credit. They will receive credit for SPA 270 instead. Spanish/ Secondary Education majors must keep a weekly cultural journal while abroad. This journal will be the key source of information for their term paper in WLC 390 taken during the JYE.

COURSES OFFERED 2019

WINTER SESSION, JAN. 7 - JAN. 25

Course	Name	Description	Day	Time
JPN 171	Ogren	CONTEMPORARY JAPAN	TBA	
SPA 103	Otero	BASIC SPANISH SEQUENCE III	M/T/W/Th	9:30 AM-1:30 PM

SPRING SESSION, JAN. 29 - MAY 10

ARABIC

Course	Name	Description	Day	Time
ARA 152	Taha/Elkholy	FIRST YEAR INTENSIVE ARABIC II	MTThFr	11-12:20 PM
ARA 171	Elkholy	THE CONTEMPORARY ARAB WORLD	Tues/Fri	2-3:20 PM
ARA 251	Taha	SECOND YEAR INTENSIVE ARABIC I	Mon/Thur	TBA

CHINESE

Course	Name	Description	Day	Time
CHI 152	Liu/Mi	FIRST YEAR INTENSIVE CHINESE II	M/T/Th/Fr	2:00-3:20 PM
CHI 252	Mi, Jiayan	SECOND YEAR INTENSIVE CHINESE II	Mon/Thur	11-12:20 PM
CHI 360/371	Liu, Celia	CHINESE PHILOSOPHY & CALLIGRAPHY	Mon/Thur	5:30-8:20 PM

FRENCH

Course	Name	Description	Day	Time
FRE 101	Tastenhoye	FRENCH FOR BEGINNERS I	Tues/Fri	11-12:20 PM
FRE 102	Pfenninger	FRENCH FOR BEGINNERS II	Mon/Thur	11-12:20 PM
FRE 102	Pfenninger	FRENCH FOR BEGINNERS II	Mon/Thur	12:30-1:50 PM
FRE 103	Baker	FRENCH FOR BEGINNERS III	Mon/Thur	11-12:20 PM
FRE 103	Bouachrine	FRENCH FOR BEGINNERS III	Mon/Thur	2-3:20 PM
FRE 103	Tastenhoye	FRENCH FOR BEGINNERS III	Tues/Fri	9:30-10:50 AM
FRE 171	Bouachrine	CONTEMPORARY FRANCE	Mon/Thur	12:30-1:50 PM
FRE 211	Baker	INTER FRENCH COMPOS/CONV	Mon/Thur	12:30-1:50 PM
FRE 301	Tastenhoye	ADVANCED FRENCH COMP/CONV	Tues/Fri	8-9:20 AM
FRE 370	Pfenninger	TOPICS IN FRENCH	Mon/Thur	3:30-4:50 PM

GERMAN

Course	Name	Description	Day	Time
GER 102	Fenner	GERMAN FOR BEGINNERS II	Tues/Fri	9:30-10:50 AM
GER 102	Hacker-Milano	GERMAN FOR BEGINNERS II	Mon/Thur	5:30-6:50PM
GER 255	Fenner	INTERMEDIATE GERMAN I	Tues/Fri	11-12:20 PM

ITALIAN

Course	Name	Description	Day	Time
ITL 101	TBA	ITALIAN FOR BEGINNERS I	Mon/Thur	9:30-10:50 AM
ITL 102	TBA	ITALIAN FOR BEGINNERS II	Mon/Thur	12:30-1:50 PM
ITL 102	Bandurski	ITALIAN FOR BEGINNERS II	Mon/Thur	12:30-1:50 PM
ITL 102	Bandurski	ITALIAN FOR BEGINNERS II	Mon/Thur	3:30-4:50PM
ITL 103	Wright	ITALIAN FOR BEGINNERS III	Mon/Thur	2-3:20 PM
ITL 103	Wright	ITALIAN FOR BEGINNERS III	Mon/Thur	2-3:20 PM
ITL 171	TBA	CONTEMPORARY ITALY	Mon/Thur	11-12:20 PM
ITL 216	Wright	CURRENT EVENTS IN ITAL-SPEAKING WORLD	Mon	5:30-8:20PM

JAPANESE

Course	Name	Description	Day	Time
JPN 101	TBA	JAPANESE FOR BEGINNERS I	Mon/Thur	2-3:20 PM
JPN 152	TBA	BEGIN INTENSIVE JAPANESE II	Mon/Thur	12:30-1:50 PM
JPN 152	Ogren	BEGIN INTENSIVE JAPANESE II	Wed	5:30-8:20 PM
JPN 171	Ogren	CONTEMPORARY JAPAN	Mon/Thur	9:30-10:50 AM
JPN 301	TBA	ADVANCE JAPANESE I	Mon/Thur	3:30-4:50PM

LINGUISTICS

Course	Name	Description	Day	Time
WLC 171	Stillman	INTRO TO THE LANGUAGES	Mon/Thur	12:30-1:50 AM
WLC 271	Ogren	GENDER AND LANGUAGE	Mon/Thur	9:30-10:50 AM
WLC 271	Ogren	GENDER AND LANGUAGE	Mon/Thur	11 AM-12:20 PM
WLC 321	Stillman	INTRO TO HISTORICAL LINGUISTICS	Mon/Thur	3:30-5:20PM
WLC 371	Mi	TOPICS IN FOREIGN LIT IN ENGLISH	Tues/Fri	5:30-8:20 PM
WLC 390	Goebel	2ND LANG ACQUISITION REL METHODS	Wed	5:30-8:20 PM



TCNJ Madrid Program Summer 2019

Study in Madrid, one of the world's most cosmopolitan and vibrant cities. Travel through Spanish art, architecture and history in guided tours to historic sites. Visit some of the oldest and most beautiful cities in the world – Toledo, Segovia and Avila – designed as World Heritage Sites by the UNESCO. Live in the international dormitory, Casa do Brasil, located near the Universidad Complutense campus.

In order to qualify for admission to the program, students must have a minimum GPA of 2.5. All students in the program must register for SPA 171 and at least one other course and may choose from the following courses:

SPA 103 – Beginning Spanish III (1 unit). SPA 103 completes language requirement – taught by Dr. Agustín Otero

SPA 203 – Intermediate Oral Proficiency (1 unit) – taught by Dr. Marimar Huguet-Jerez (Prerequisites: SPA 103 or Oral Placement Test)

SPA 216 – Current Events (1 unit) – taught by Dr. Marimar Huguet-Jerez (Prerequisites: SPA 203/210 and 211)

SPA 270 – Topics in Spanish Culture (1 unit) – taught by Dr. Agustín Otero (Prerequisites: SPA 203/210 and 211)

SPA 370– Cultures of Spain (1 unit) – taught by Dr. Agustín Otero (Prerequisites: Three SPA 200 courses)

Program Dates:

July 1 – August 1, 2019

Information Sessions:

Thursday, Nov. 1 at 3:30 in Bliss 234

Tuesday, Nov. 6 at 5:00 in Bliss 148

Program Co-Directors:

Dr. Deborah Compte, Professor of Spanish

Dr. Agustín Otero, Associate Professor of Spanish



RUSSIAN

Course	Name	Description	Day	Time
RUS 152	Berg	BEGINNING INTENSIVE RUSSIAN II	M/T/Th/Fr	11-12:20 PM
RUS 171	Berg	INTERDISCIPLINARY SURVEY OF RUSSIA	Mon/Thur	2-3:20 PM
RUS 252	Berg	SECOND-YR INTENSIVE RUSSIAN II	Tues/Fri	2-3:20 PM

SPANISH

Course	Name	Description	Day	Time
SPA 101	Figueroa	BASIC SPANISH SEQUENCE I	Mon/Thur	8-9:20 AM
SPA 101	Figueroa	BASIC SPANISH SEQUENCE I	Mon/Thur	9:30-10:50 AM
SPA 101	Latorre	BASIC SPANISH SEQUENCE I	Tues/Fri	8-9:20 AM
SPA 102	Foglietta	BASIC SPANISH SEQUENCE II	Mon/Thur	8-9:20 AM
SPA 102	Foglietta	BASIC SPANISH SEQUENCE II	Mon/Thur	9:30-10:50 AM
SPA 102	TBA	BASIC SPANISH SEQUENCE II	Mon/Thur	5:30-6:50 PM
SPA 102	TBA	BASIC SPANISH SEQUENCE II	Mon/Thur	7-8:20 PM
SPA 102	Huguet-Jerez	BASIC SPANISH SEQUENCE II	Tues/Fri	9:30-10:50 AM
SPA 102	Huguet-Jerez	BASIC SPANISH SEQUENCE II	Tues/Fri	11-12:20 PM
SPA 102	Latorre	BASIC SPANISH SEQUENCE II	Tues/Fri	11-12:20 PM
SPA 102	Jimenez	BASIC SPANISH SEQUENCE II	Tues/Fri	2-3:20 PM
SPA 103	Otero	BASIC SPANISH SEQUENCE III	Mon/Thur	8-9:20 AM
SPA 103	Otero	BASIC SPANISH SEQUENCE III	Mon/Thur	9:30-10:50 AM
SPA 103	Delbene	BASIC SPANISH SEQUENCE III	Mon/Thur	9:30-10:50 AM
SPA 103	Delbene	BASIC SPANISH SEQUENCE III	Mon/Thur	11-12:20 PM
SPA 103	Rosman	BASIC SPANISH SEQUENCE III	Mon/Thur	12:30-1:50 PM
SPA 103	Rosman	BASIC SPANISH SEQUENCE III	Mon/Thur	2-3:20 PM
SPA 103	Egas	BASIC SPANISH SEQUENCE III	Mon/Thur	5:30-6:50 PM
SPA 103	Egas	BASIC SPANISH SEQUENCE III	Mon/Thur	7-8:20 PM
SPA 103	Warner	BASIC SPANISH SEQUENCE III	Tues/Fri	8-9:20 AM
SPA 103	Warner	BASIC SPANISH SEQUENCE III	Tues/Fri	9:30-10:50 AM
SPA 203	Gabriel	INTERMEDIATE ORAL PROFICIENCY	Mon/Thur	8-9:20 AM
SPA 203	Gabriel	INTERMEDIATE ORAL PROFICIENCY	Mon/Thur	9:30-10:50 AM
SPA 203	Compte	INTERMEDIATE ORAL PROFICIENCY	Tues/Fri	11-12:20 PM
SPA 211	Gabriel	INTERMEDIATE WRITING PROFICIENCY	Mon/Thur	8-9:20 AM
SPA 211	Compte	INTERMEDIATE WRITING PROFICIENCY	Tues/Fri	2-3:20 PM
SPA 211	Compte	INTERMEDIATE WRITING PROFICIENCY	Tues/Fri	3:30-4:50 PM
SPA 215	Morin	SPANISH PHONETICS	Tues/Fri	11-12:20 PM
SPA 219	Morin	SPANISH FOR MEDICAL PURPOSES	Tues/Fri	2-3:20 PM
SPA 241	Figueroa	INTRO TO LIT IN SPANISH	Mon/Thur	12:30-1:50 PM
SPA 270	Otero	TOPICS IN SPANISH	Mon/Thur	12:30-1:50 PM
SPA 302	Warner	ADVANCED ORAL PROFICIENCY	Tues/Fri	11-12:20 PM
SPA 370	Rosman	TOPICS IN SPANISH	Mon/Thur	9:30-10:50 AM
SPA 372	Morin	HISTORY OF THE SPANISH LANGUAGE	Tues/Fri	3:30-4:50 PM
SPA 497	Huguet-Jerez	SPANISH SENIOR SEMINAR	Tues/Fri	3:30-4:50 PM

Exchange Programs

Spanish - Argentina (Universidad de San Andres)

French - France (Université Blaise Pascal)

German - Germany (Goethe Universität Frankfurt)

Japanese - Japan (Kansai Gaidai University)

Other Nationally Known Overseas Study Programs

Arabic: Jordan, Morocco, Cairo

Chinese: Beijing, Shanghai, and Xi'an

French: Paris

German: Berlin

Italian: Siena, Bologna Spring Hill, Taormina, Milan

Japanese: Tokyo, Fukuoka

Russian: Moscow, St. Petersburg, and Vladimir

Spanish: Spain, Argentina, Chile, Colombia, Costa Rica, Dominican Republic, and Perú



APPROVED LIBERAL LEARNING COURSES SPRING 2019

Course	Name	Description	Day	Time
ARA 171	Elkholy	THE CONTEMPORARY ARAB WORLD	Tues/Fri	2-3:20 PM
ITL 171	TBD	CONTEMPORARY ITALY	Mon/Th	11-12:20 PM
RUS 171	Berg	CONTEMPORARY RUSSIA	Mon/Th	2:00-3:20 PM
SPA 241	Figueroa	INTRO TO LIT IN SPANISH	Mon/Th	12:30-1:50 PM
SPA 372	Morin	HISTORY OF THE SPANISH LANGUAGE	Tues/Fri	3:30-4:50 PM
WLC 171	Stillman	INTRO TO LANGUAGES OF THE WORLD	Mon/Th	12:30-1:50 PM

SUMMER COURSES 2019

Course	Name	Description	Dates	Day	Time
SPA 103	Otero	BASIC SPANISH SEQUENCE III		M/T/W/TH	10 AM - 1:45 PM
SPA 102	Morin	BASIC SPANISH SEQUENCE II		M/T/W/TH	10 AM - 1:45 PM
SPA 101	Jimenez	BASIC SPANISH SEQUENCE I	May-Jun	M/T/W/TH	9 AM - 12:45 PM
SPA 102	Jimenez	BASIC SPANISH SEQUENCE II	Jun/Jul	M/T/W/TH	9 AM - 12:45 PM
SPA 103	Jimenez	BASIC SPANISH SEQUENCE III	Jul/Aug	M/T/W/TH	9 AM - 12:45 PM